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New skirts of Serge, Eponge, Novelty, carefully made and finished. Excellent values, \$3.50, 4.00, 5.00.

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NORWAY,

MAINE

Mrs. J. H. Wright was in Lewiston, one day last week.

Mrs. Henry Cheney came from Portland, to spend Sunday with her son, Mrs. M. H. Cheney.

Mrs. Bertram Packard came, Tuesday, to spend a short time with her mother, Mrs. Lovejoy.

Mr. Fred Tibbets is enjoying a week's vacation at his home in Portland.

Mr. Earl Bryant and daughter, Helen, of Lowell, Mass., are guests at Mr. William Farwell's.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Anderson, of South Paris, called on relatives in town the last of the week.

The W. C. T. U. met last week, Tuesday, with Mrs. Fannie Blake Lovejoy. Miss Salsbury gave a most interesting and helpful Parliamentary Drill.

Mrs. Russell and daughter, Miss Shirley Russell, and Miss Isabel Russell, will return to Brooklyn, N. Y., next Friday. Miss Russell will enter upon her duties as instructor in Art at College, Monday, September 23.

Edith Kimball and Sylvia Swan began teaching, Monday.

Miss Mattie Dingley, of Portland, is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. C. Bowler.

Mrs. Sidney Jodrey was called to Showtongue by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Grover.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Littlehale are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son, September 12.

Miss Annie Hamlin is assisting in the bank during Mr. Tibbets' absence.

Miss Florence Carter accompanied Catherine Seaton to her home in New York, Tuesday.

Judge Herick, Henry Hastings, Esq., and Fred Merrill, attended Probate court at South Paris, Tuesday.

Miss Annie Hamlin, who has been recently elected Grand Matron of the Order of the Eastern Star for the State of New Hampshire, will leave for Chicago, Ill., Saturday, September 20, to attend the biennial of the General Grand Chapter, which is to be held, September 23, as a delegate from the Bethel Chapter.

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C. L. DAVIS,
BETHEL, MAINE.

BETHEL AND VICINITY.

Mrs. Howard Coburn is on the sick list.

Mr. Herman Mason is attending the Canton Fair.

Quite a number attended the fair at Norway, last week.

Mrs. Alice Vail is visiting her children and other relatives and friends on Bear River.

Miss Mildred Haygood is visiting friends in Auburn.

Miss Mary B. Merrill is spending a few days in Portland.

Mr. Gross, of Portland, is clerking for Irving L. Carver.

The Universalist Church is receiving a new coat of paint.

Mr. Martin Stowell was in town a few days last week.

Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Little and Mrs. Harbank have returned from their college at South Freeport.

Miss Blanche Richardson has returned to Garham Normal School.

Mr. L. B. Chapman was the guest of Mr. A. S. Chapman, Sunday.

Mr. E. A. Baker, of Island Pond, is visiting his sister, Miss Lillian Blake.

Mr. Paulker, of Chicago, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Chapman.

Mr. Frank Bean is working during his out-of-school hours at the Citizen Office.

The corn shop had a very short run this year, opening the 12th and closing the 13th.

Mr. E. P. Callahan is moving into the rent recently occupied by Mrs. Alice Farwell.

Mr. Erwin Cole, of Stark, N. H., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cole one day last week.

Miss L. M. Stearns is showing a fine display of fall millinery which is sure to please all tastes.

Mr. Carroll Valentine left Monday for Hanover, N. H., where he will enter Dartmouth College.

Messrs. Ceylon and H. C. Rowe are in Boston, this week, buying their stock of winter goods.

Miss Ada B. Foster, of Auburn, Me., has returned to spend the winter with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Finney.

Mr. Raymond McCubery, who has been working at Bethel Inn, has returned to his home in Redding, Me.

About thirty members of the Bethel Masonic Lodge attended a meeting of the Garham Lodge, Tuesday evening.

Miss Baby Abby, of Carleton, Me., is staying with her sister, Mrs. R. H. Tibbets, and attending Gould's Academy.

Emory H. Young is showing in his window a very fine black bear skin rug which he had mounted for Mr. Will Walker of North Newry.

Mr. Fred Bennett, of Magalloway, was the guest of Mr. Zita Barker, a few days last week.

Mrs. E. A. Chase of Blackhill, arrived Monday, to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. A. E. Herick.

William Barker and daughter, Georgia, from Upton, were week end visitors at Zita Barker's, on Paradise Road.

Rev. J. H. Little attended the funeral of Mrs. Emma Hoyt at South Andover, Monday afternoon, also the funeral of Dr. Twitchell at Andover.

Mr. Harold Rich went last Thursday to Williams, Mass., where he will enter Williams College. His father, Elliott Rich, accompanied him, returning Monday.

Mr. W. D. Moore of Niagara Falls, New York, was in town, Friday, to visit the grave of his wife at Woodland cemetery. Mrs. A. A. Meyers joined him here and they returned to New York by train.

A special meeting of the Maine State Grange will be held at Norway in the Grange Hall, Thursday, October 3, at 10 o'clock, for the purpose of considering the matter of organizing a new chapter in this town. It is hoped that every member will make an effort to attend this meeting.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Episcopal Church will meet for work at 10 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon. At 5:30 o'clock the ladies will serve a free supper to all families connected with the church. All are requested to bring something in the line of party.

Miss Helen Spencer is teaching at West Paris.

Mr. Charles Hutchins is working at Bethel Inn.

Mrs. Edmund Holt is visiting her sister at Portland.

Miss Sadie Warren is working for Mrs. W. O. Straw.

Mr. Charles Tool has been visiting relatives at West Sumner.

Mrs. P. E. Farrington visited relatives at Locke's Mills, Sunday.

Mr. Guy Thurston has taken a logging job at Ketchum, Maine.

Miss Helen Frost, of Norway, is working at Dr. J. G. Gehring's.

Messrs. Roy Thurston and Homer Parker are on a business trip to Black Brook.

Mrs. Frost, of Norway, and Mrs. Webb, of Bangor, were guests of Mrs. Everett, Sunday.

Mrs. Howard Gunther and infant son are visiting relatives in Massachusetts.

Mrs. Alice Farwell will soon leave for Saco, where she will keep house for her uncle.

Mrs. A. M. Farwell, of Manchester, N. H., spent a few days last week with her cousin, Mrs. Alhira Smith.

Mrs. Sidney Abbott, of Andover, is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Amanda Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Van Den Kerkhoven and daughter, Grace, are spending the week in Boston.

Mrs. Pratt, of Reading, Mass., is the guest of her daughter, Miss Marlon Pratt, at the dormitory.

Mr. Van Buren Grover, of Halifax, Mass., is the guest of relatives in town.

Mr. Wallace Merrill has returned to Portland to resume his studies at the Maine School for the Deaf.

The Ladies' Club will meet with Mrs. W. O. Straw, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. J. W. Carter was organist at the Congregational Church last Sunday, during Miss Haygood's absence.

Mr. Fred Kenney and grand-daughter, Miss Mary Atherton, of Stratford, N. H., visited his daughter, Mrs. H. B. Stanley, Sunday.

Mrs. Grant and son, Dana, visited friends in town Monday, leaving for their home in Somerville, Mass., Tuesday.

Lewis Van Den Kerkhoven celebrated his eleventh birthday last Thursday evening. Games were played and light refreshments served.

Mr. L. A. Hall has returned home from Lewiston, where he has been assisting his brother in the barber business.

Mrs. Charles Thompson, of Lowell, came Saturday, to visit her sister, Mrs. Ella Baker, whom she has not seen for twenty-five years.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kimball, Miss Lina Kimball and Mr. Eddie Connery of Stratford, N. H., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Brown, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Swartz and twin sons, and daughter, from Errol, N. H., visited their uncle, Elias Littlehale, Friday, returning Saturday.

Mrs. A. T. Howe, who has been spending the summer at Rockport, will return to her home in Hoxbury, Mass., Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Wheeler are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, born September 16.

Mrs. El. Plant, of Portland, and her daughter, Mildred Plant, of Boston, came to Bethel, Monday, and her mother, Mrs. Clara Bartlett, returned to Portland with them, for a few weeks' stay.

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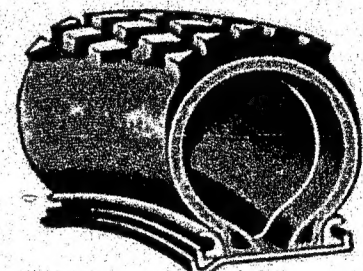
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BETHEL, MAINE.

Miss Nellie Howard is visiting Mrs. Charles Cole.

Miss Alice Swan is assisting in the Post Office.

Mr. Ernest Bowler, Jr., has entered Phillips Andover Academy.

Ella Chandler, of Norway, called on friends in town, Sunday.

Mrs. Lovernia Parker is visiting her brother, Mr. Horace Annis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Baker spent the week end at Songo Pond.

Mr. Sumner Edwards returned to Harvard Medical School, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Weaver visited at Collier Morgan's, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brownell, of Waterford, visited at I. C. Jordan's, last week.

Mr. Clyde Lowe and Miss Staples were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cole.

Mr. W. S. Wight and daughter, Marie, visited relatives and friends in town last week.

Miss Flora Ellingwood, of West Paris, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Florida Richardson.

Miss Eda Douglass has returned to Gould's Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Russell, of South Woodstock, were guests of Mrs. Fannie Billings, Sunday.

Mrs. Clara Champlain, of Salmon Falls, N. H., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Coolidge.

The Festival chorus rehearsal will meet with Mrs. Mansfield, Thursday evening, at 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Farwell, and daughter, Marjorie, visited relatives at West Paris, Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah B. Esquig, of Los Angeles, California, was the guest of Mrs. A. M. Clark, Sunday.

Miss Janet Merrill returned to Portland, Monday, after spending a short visit with her aunt, Miss Merrill.

Mr. Robert M. Young, of Boston, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Farwell a few days last week.

Miss Diana Wight returned from South Paris, last week, where she has been visiting relatives this summer.

Mr. J. S. Rich and family closed their summer home at Songo Pond, Tuesday, and returned to their home in New York.

I wish to respectfully invite the public to visit the store formerly occupied by R. E. L. Farwell and inspect the line of Groceries, Fruits, Canned Goods, Confectionery and Cigars which I shall carry. Also Soaps and Washing and Cleaning Compounds.

I have added to all my grocery lines new stock. Try 1-4 lb. of our Special Blend Coffee. We sell the "Bellman" Pastry Flour and the "Seal of Minnesota" Bread Flour under a strict guarantee.

Very Respectfully,

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THE HOME CIRCLE.

Pleasant Reveries—A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers—As they Join the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

Like a beautiful flower, full of color but without scent, are the fine, but fruitless, words of him who does not act accordingly.—Buddha.

Always try to do your part at the proper time; then if the season is unfavorable, and the crops do not grow well, you have the satisfaction that you have done your best; you need not fret nor worry; brighter days will come; there are troubles and trials in all trades and professions.

DON'T WHIMPER.

You may learn to consume your own smoke. The atmosphere is darkened by the murmurings and whimpers of men and women over non-essentials, the trifles that are inevitably incident to the hurly-burly of the day's routine. Things can not always go your way. Learn to accept in silence the minor aggravations, cultivate the art of taciturnity (about them), and consume your own smoke with an extra draught of hard work, so that these about you may not be annoyed with the dust and soot of your complaints.—William Oster.

THOUGHT—NECESSARY TO EDUCATION.

(Continued from last week.)

It has been said that "A wave of earnestness has swept over our country and revived the hearts of parents in a desire to train their children aright." School journals are incompetent, and medical journals put the facts yet more plainly, and tell us that "Thousands of babies are killed annually by ignorant mothers and nurses."

Many of these women have been educated in our schools and should have been fitted to apply their knowledge to their problems of life.

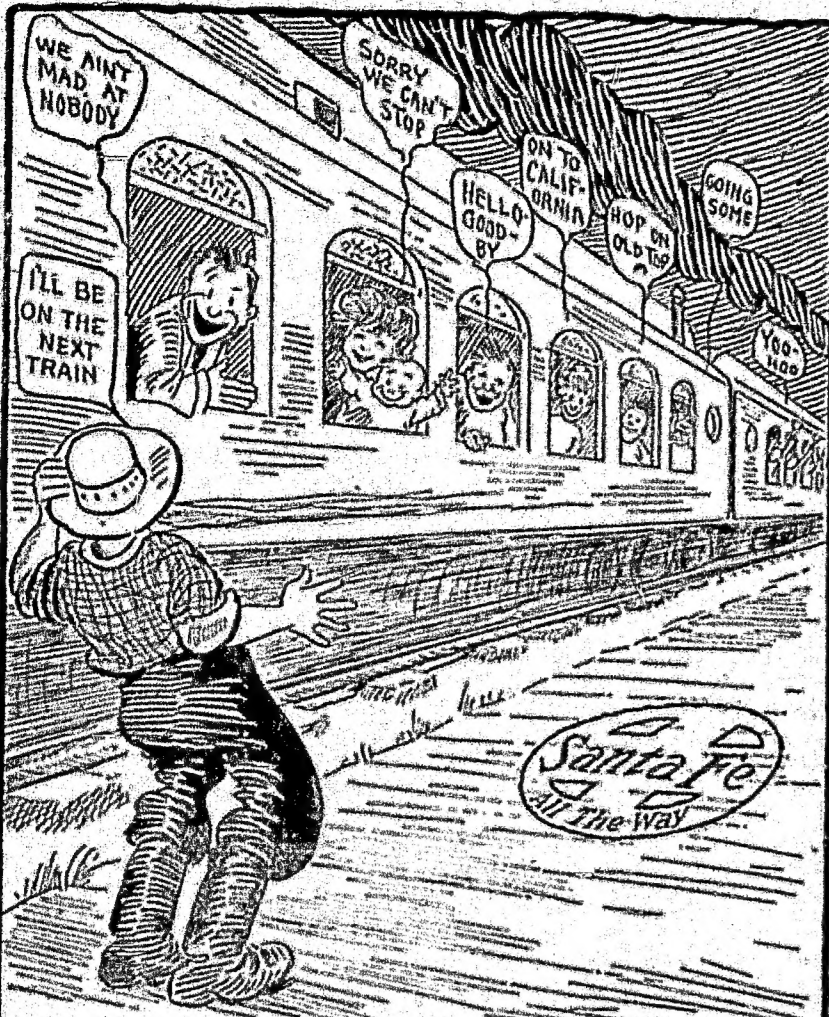
Here is an old quotation, "Few think justly of the thinking few; Many never think who think they do." You will need to repeat it over and over before you get the truths contained in it; but isn't it fearfully true? So few, comparatively speaking, think to a purpose. We should train ourselves to do so, and educate our children to do the same. Our teachers, too, need, above all else, a training along the line of real thinking—thought which will bring forth results both in their own lives and in the lives of those entrusted to their care. And training in the schoolroom. Think—study—learn—teach others. Thus, in a never ending chain, the education must go on. Lessons learned from text books have their place, but these must be supplemented by outside influence if our children obtain the best, and highest education.

"Education is the drawing out or development of the faculties, and the training of human beings for the functions for which they were created."

We usually think of education as the gaining of information, or as the training of the younger portion of the community. We expect this education to be imparted by professional instructors, but in its broader sense, no knowledge gained from any source is education.

Any habit formed is an essential part of a person's education; also we must remember that the requirement of skill in any occupation is an education along that line. The training of our girls for the profession of wifehood and motherhood is a part of a woman's education which is often overlooked, but none the less important. More thought is being given to the place of a woman's life. Education is becoming alive to the need of a woman's education for a woman.

The girls may be, and are, capable of keeping abreast with their brothers, but are their needs the same? We are coming to feel more and more that while our boys must be trained to be men among men, our girls must be fitted to be companions to, and help for, those coming men. They must each be prepared for their life work, and as it is different, so the training for it should be different. I would not refuse the so-called "higher education" to any girl who desires it; and has the time and strength to acquire it; but beyond that, and before it, and through it, I would teach our girls to be home makers and child raisers. The science of womanhood and motherhood should come first; all other should lead up to and be secondary to these "high" matters of womanhood. Don't imagine that I'm advocating a step backward to the education of our girls—far from that! But in the middle classes, (so called) distinguish these from those who lay claim to education by the possession of an overplus of the slightly dollar; we find comparatively few who take advanced courses unless they do so



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NORTH NEWRY.

The dance at Newry corner was well attended Saturday night. Cake and ice cream were served during intermission.

Mr. C. C. Bennett has moved into Braun's boarding house.

Mrs. N. S. Godwin is teaching school in Grafton.

Mrs. Sadie Bryant is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ernest Eames. Jesse Chapman has contracted to turn Charles Douglass' cowls and is boarding at L. E. Wrights, also two of his men, Alvin Chapman and Wilfred Kilgore.

Charles Thompson is spending a few days with his cousin, Mr. Ernest Eames.

Quite a number from this place attended the fair at Norway, last week. All report a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Littlehale, of Rockland, are visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Littlehale.

Victor Hodgson has moved his family to Mexico, where he has bought a farm.

Barbark Comedy Company was in town three nights last week, but owing to the small audience they did not stay a week, as intended.

NORTH NORWAY.

Charles Foster is at work for Abner Jackson.

Steve Abbott has gone to Upton, to work for A. W. Jenkins.

Herbert Hasey has been making some repairs on his buildings.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. French are re-joining over the birth of a young son.

Woodbury Russell, and son, Henry, are at work in the village, carpentering.

Ken Morse is at work in the village for Mrs. Howard Smith.

Charles Austin has been doing some plumbing for Walter Hobbs at Maplecroft.

Hagood and Willett are making apple barrels at their shop here in North Norway.

Anna Foster and her matched steer calves at the fair for one hundred dollars.

The French Brothers have been remodeling their cellar on the place formerly owned by Frank Fox.

Gilbert Corwell visited his daughter, Mrs. Elwell, at the village, during fair week.

Mrs. A. W. Jenkins and sons, Oscar and Harvey, of Upton, visited relatives in Norway and Oxford, last week.

B. T. Jackson was in Albany, last Monday.

A heavy frost on the low lands here September 14.

We've a fine One of Moss, Ladies' and Children's wearers.

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CANTON

Miss Lila Gilbert of Lewiston, and Miss Kate Jack of Woodford, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gilbert, and family.

Mrs. Annie Paine, of Middleboro, Mass., who has been a guest of Mrs. Sarah Coburn, and daughter, has returned home.

Everett Reynolds has been visiting in Aroostook County.

Birchard Whitman and wife of Phillips, have been guests of C. F. Oldham and family.

Sybil Hutchinson is teaching school at Jay.

Mrs. Charles C. Ellis, who was taken suddenly ill last Friday at her home, is improving slowly.

Mrs. W. B. Gilbert has returned from a visit in Woodford.

Mrs. O. M. Richardson pleasantly entertained the Universalist Circle, Thursday. A delicious treat was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Charles E. Richardson, in two weeks.

Dr. Neil K. Forhan, of Lowell, Mass., is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Forhan.

George Lavorgna is attending school at Hebron Academy.

Mrs. Flora Adlerstam has returned to her home in Clinton, Mass.

C. E. Richardson attended the fair at Norway.

Mrs. Alice Swasey and Miss Helen Collins of Somerville, Mass., were recent guests of Mrs. George L. Wadlin.

Mrs. Howes of Livermore Falls has been a guest of her son, M. J. Howes, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gilbert, Harold Gilbert and Miss Kate Jack were at Ramford, Sunday night, going by auto.

Clean Fletcher is attending school at Hebron Academy.

Mrs. Bessie Cole is at home from Ramford for a month's vacation.

Miss Marguerite Hollis resumed her studies at Hebron Academy, this week.

Edna and May Dodge, of Riverside, R. I., have been guests of their uncle, Frank W. Dodge, and family.

The Canton schools commenced this week.

George Childs has been at home from Kingman on a brief visit.

Miss May Hadley has been visiting in Dixfield.

Mrs. M. J. Howes has been visiting at Livermore Falls.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST.

The state board of charities and corrections created by the last legislature held its meeting for organization in Portland, Wednesday afternoon. Robert T. Whitehouse of Portland was elected president and John E. Leggett of Augusta was elected as secretary pro tem. The election of a permanent secretary was deferred until the next meeting of the board.

The second annual report of the state horticulturist, A. H. Gardner, published this year, contains some interesting material regarding the war waged upon the brown-tail and apple moths. It states that the damage done by the brown-tail was not as great last year as in previous years. The birds attacked the nests and the moths did not extend their boundaries to any great extent. During the year 10 worms were found to be infected, in addition to the towns discovered previously, making the total number 35. These towns were scattered throughout seven counties. The department has prepared a set of lantern slides to be used in future work, which show the apple moth in all stages and the methods of suppression.

Stories of residents of Hallowell, especially those living on Great Island, are anxious for the Bowdoin College professors to return so that a great football game at Hallowell, near Emily's Station, by Theodore Holland and Harman O. Gumbel, may be explained. A small fragment, which was sent to Harvard University, has been procured and is a portion of some ancient scroll of great size. Holland and Gumbel were digging a well. When about seven feet deep below the surface, beneath the edge of a rocky ledge, they found a pocket of brown gravel and in this found remains. The largest piece they took out was about five feet long and 25 inches wide. Another piece appears to have been a hip bone. A large specimen still remains in the well, and even having been unable to remove it.

Every year the War Department for a while sends for the volume State Militia companies who participate in the regular maneuvers conducted every summer along the Atlantic coast at the various coast defense posts. The government has just been made that Maine is to receive \$11,000 as her share of the appropriation which is to defray the expenses of the annual camp conducted by the Coast Artillery Reserve, and for the doing of the big guns in the target practice, the purchase of supplies and ammunitions, etc. The money was appropriated according to the estimate made by the War Department. The New England states were as follows: Maine, \$11,000; New Hampshire, \$11,000; Vermont, \$11,000; New Hampshire, \$11,000.

As a result of a recent contract with the United States Government, 2,500 muskrats worth \$100,000, from the Government's catch of Alaska's muskrats, have arrived in St. Louis.

For more than forty years the Alaska cash has been sent to New York, where the tax was collected and paid. With the announcement that the Government will hereafter ship

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A large male lobster was captured by Captain Marshall Stinson in a tide pool on St. Andrews Island last week and has been mounted for the museum of the Biological Station. Its living weight is not known as it was more or less dried out before it was possible to weigh it. From its size, it must have weighed at least 25 pounds. The length of the body is 20 1/2 inches and the total length in 20 1/2 inches and the total length in 20 1/2 inches. It is one of the largest lobsters on record, and is slightly larger than a specimen captured at Lobos in 1892, and said to be preserved on Campobello Island. A specimen 20 1/2 inches long and weighing 31 pounds is known. A larger lobster than this has not been authoritatively reported, these large lobsters are naturally of an uncertain age but it has been estimated that they are in the neighborhood of the half century mark.

The United States government is going into the magazine publishing business for the benefit of the farmer. This is the announcement made by the department of agriculture, which adds that the first issue of the magazine will be out this month and that other issues will follow regularly at monthly intervals. The publication will be devoted principally to a detailed review of crop conditions nationally and by states.

"This information will be prepared in a purely popular way," Assistant Secretary Galloway declared, "with a view to enabling the farmer to determine at a glance just what plan crop and animal-crop conditions are presenting to his own state as compared with other individual states and the country at large and important foreign producing areas."

It is the department's purpose to make the publication, which will bear the title of "The Agricultural Outlook," a magazine of from 15 to 20 pages. It will deal not alone with the production and condition of crops, but will instruct the farmer as to marketing his wares.

A new world's milk record for Jersey cows is recorded by Elmer's line, owned by Houghton County, Minn. Her yearly record under the supervision of the Michigan Agricultural College shows a production of 10,743 pounds of milk, testing 1.133 pounds one cent of butter. The former Jersey record, held by Jascha, was 10,743 pounds of milk. The new record also exceeds the previous record held by Spot and Daisy Pearl by 170 pounds of milk.

The Maine state highway commission at last has had an opportunity to test the law regarding placing toll in the road passed at the last session of the legislature and which became operative in July. The town of Newry, in Aroostook County, has put toll in the road. Complaint was made to the state highway commission, and the complaint furnishing the commission with a description of the place where the toll has been put in the road, together with the toll, and a list of witnesses. The state highway commission, under the leadership of Clarence Lyman H. Nelson, took immediate action, and the town of Newry was notified that the state aid money, which amounts to about \$200, would be withheld until the toll was put in proper shape. The action on the part of the state highway commission has created an excellent precedent in all towns that the state highway commission will enforce the law to the letter.

This will be an "old year" for apples, according to a special forecast just issued by William A. Taylor, chief of the Department of Agriculture. The forecast shows that the apple crop will be a record one and the year will be a record one for apples.

greatly reduced yields of apples in Canada, Great Britain, France and Germany.

When the college year at Bates opens, the students will have for their own use the finest dining room of its kind in the state. The old science hall dining room has been entirely remodeled and it is now a place which the college may well be proud of. A large part of the honor belongs to Chief Voyer, whose entire summer has been devoted to superintending the work.

Back to the farm the department of agriculture has traced some of the responsibility for the present high cost of living. In a recent report the department sets forth that the prices paid the farmers for their products were more, with few exceptions, on September 1 than they received last year at that time. Among the more important articles of food which showed slight increases were: Potatoes, 10.3 cents a bushel; butter, 1.7 cents a pound; chickens, 1.1 cents a pound; and eggs, 0.04 a dozen. Oats increased 4.3 cents a bushel; barley 1.7 and cotton 0.05 a pound. The price of corn decreased 2.2 a bushel; wheat 3.7; flax, 34.3; rye, 7.8; buckwheat, 5.6; and hay 25 cents a ton.

The farmer also received more for the meats he produced except lamb, on August 15 this year than he did at the same time last year. Hogs increased 68 cents a hundred pounds; beef, 53 cents; veal, 91 cents; and sheep 6 cents. The price of lamb decreased 10 cents a hundred weight. Hens increased only one dollar a head, while milk cows increased \$8.70 each.

Although the question "what is whiskey?" worried the experts through three administrations the definition of "What is brandy?" was more play for the Federal Pure Food Board. In a statement recently issued the Board declares brandy to be "the alcoholic distillate solely from the fermented juice of fruit, distilled under such conditions that the characteristic bouquet, or volatile flavoring and aromatic principles, be retained in the distillate. The Board is of the further opinion," the experts declare, "that so-called brandy prepared from grain, potato or other form of industrial alcohol, or from alcohol obtained from the by-products of wine manufacture, mixed with more or less true brandy or other flavoring material, is adulterated and mislabeled unless it is labeled to indicate its true composition." The ruling has been looked forward to by manufacturers of brandy. Enforcement of the finding will go into effect at once.

The operations for Bauger's new \$100,000 federal building have been completed in what was formerly Central Park. The contracts for the building and the work of the building to the government on or before April 20, 1913, and work will be commenced as soon as the detail plans are ready, which is expected to be in a few weeks, and a start will be made this fall, the work to be carried on as far as the weather will allow.

While potatoes will not be a drug on the market this year, consumers need not fear that there will not be enough to meet demands. In a special report on the potato outlook, L. C.

WEST-PARIS.

The crop show opened Saturday and has been running on full time since. The dry weather and the heavy frosts have damaged many acres of corn.

School began Monday morning with a larger number of scholars in nearly all grades than ever before. The crop of teachers for the year are as follows: Principal, Frederick Meredith, Meredith, N. H.; grammar, Lillian Robinson, Palmer; intermediate, Helen M. Spencer, Bethel; primary, Bernice L. Goddard, Gorham. Miss Eva Sweet of South Paris is supplying in the grammar grade, as Miss Robinson has not arrived.

James B. Packard, of Monmouth, has been the recent guest of his brother, Dr. F. H. Packard.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Young, of Braintree, Mass., have been recent guests at the home of Mrs. Julia Carls.

Mrs. Maude Parwell and daughter, Margery, of Bethel, spent Sunday, with Mrs. Fred R. Penley.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin J. Mann, Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Swift and son, Dale, went to Dr. Packard's camp at Locke's Mill, Saturday. Mr. Swift and Dale returned Sunday, but the others will remain for a ten days' vacation.

Mrs. G. A. Smith returned, Saturday, from a trip to Waterville Fair, and other cities, and towns in that section of Maine.

Miss Lilla B. Young is teaching at North Paris.

W. S. Wright gave a free concert, Monday evening, for the purpose of organizing a singing class. Mr. Wright is well known in this vicinity and the outlook for a good concert is good.

Mrs. Nathan Danham, daughter, and grand-daughter, of Norway, Miss Nora Danham, of South Paris, have been recent guests at Charles Barden's.

H. S. Mann has moved his family into Mrs. S. B. Locke's rent, and will work for the firm of L. M. Mann & Son.

Agnes Gray is teaching the Porter neighborhood school.

Corbett of the Department of Agriculture, declared that while the total harvest will be less than last year, it will be sufficient to supply normal needs.

The shrinkage in this year's crop is ascribed to the heavy holdover crop from last season, the low prices and the general demoralization of the potato trade last autumn, which caused a reduction in acreage.

Indications are that Maine will produce the largest crop ever recorded, while Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota and North Dakota will harvest a normal crop. The yields in Massachusetts, Connecticut, New York and Ohio promise to be light. The average condition of the crop is ten per cent below the ten year average but about 10 per cent above the conditions for the same season in 1911.

Over \$135,000 has been collected in automobile fees by the State up to September 1, according to a statement given out recently. This breaks all records for Maine, and shows a 50 per cent increase over the total registrations for the entire year of 1912.

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QUALITY OF WATER IMPORTANT.

Impure or Highly Mineralized Waters Sometimes Cause Heavy Money Losses.

The quantity of water used in modern human industry is so vast, its applications are so varied, and its essential characteristics are so distinctive that water may be considered the most important mineral used in the industrial arts. Immense quantities of water are necessary for many manufacturing operations. Every pound of writing paper made, for instance, has required the use of no less than 40 pounds of water, and in some paper mills as much as 1,000 pounds.

The quality of the water best suited for use in any particular industry is also a matter of considerable moment. An iron-bearing water cannot be used in a bleaching without previous purification. A calcareous water is undesirable in leather tanning, as it causes brown stains on the hides and may also produce a reddish leather which has a low market value.

The quality of the water used in the steam boiler is of interest to the engineer because upon it the profitable production of steam in large measure depends. The life of the boiler also is in no small degree determined by the care taken to supply it with proper feed water. With a noncorrosive water which does not form hard scale a stationary boiler may last 30 to 35 years, but a corrosive water may make it useless in five years.

Many waters, especially spring waters, that are comparatively free from mineral matter in solution are known to be strongly corrosive when used in steam boilers. Free acids, such as hydrochloric, sulphuric, and nitric, are very corrosive, attacking iron readily and waters containing them must therefore be neutralized before they can safely be used for steam making. Water showing no sign of acidity before it enters the boiler sometimes develops corrosive properties when it is heated. Water containing magnesium chloride in solution, for instance, may be neutral under ordinary conditions, but at high temperatures and under increased pressure of the boiler hydrolysis occurs, forming free hydrochloric acid, which vigorously attacks the boiler shell and tubes. The scale from calcareous waters is loose and can be removed by blowing off. Calcareous waters, on the other hand, form a hard tenacious scale, the removal of which is sometimes very difficult. Hard scale conducts heat poorly. A waste of 15 to 20 per cent of fuel has been known to be caused by hard scale only seven to eight millimeters thick. Boilers thus overheated are liable to blister and to crack, and many serious explosions have resulted from overheating scale-lined boilers.

Salutary Effect of Scale. Though a thick, hard scale is detrimental to a boiler, a thin coating of scale is often distinctly advantageous. This is especially noticeable where corrosive waters are used for making steam. Rain water and even melted snow cause pitting of the plates and more or less general corrosion. As a protection against the ravages of waters of this kind the occasional addition of a little lime-water is recommended, so that a thin coating of scale may be formed.

Many sprays for preventing and removing boiler scale are on the market, some of them being helpful but others of little value, though the vendors use persuasive arguments in presenting the merits of their wares. Care should be exercised, however, not to use the wrong kind of boiler compound, as more harm may be caused by it than by the untreated water itself. (From Water-Supply Paper 223, United States Geological Survey.)

CONCERNED BY THE NEWS.

Spoke—But you hear about Nixon being over once by something he read in the paper Tuesday night? Hinks—No, I didn't hear about it. It must have been very shocking news. Spoke—No, I don't know. You see he had been busy in his office all day and didn't realize how hot it was on it he read it in the evening paper.

A CARN IN ARITHMETIC.

The tea bar was hearing her class of small boys in mathematics. "Riggs," she said, "if your father can do a piece of work in seven days and your Uncle William can do it in nine days, how long would it take both of them to do it?"

"They would never get it done," answered the boy, "because if they would sit down and tell him stories." —New York Post.

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FOOD AND THE AVERAGE MAN.

A rather convincing demonstration for those who take nourishment for their stomach's sake rather than with the idea of employing exactly the proportions of albuminoids, proteins, and carbohydrates necessary for their energy output and general metabolism, is to be found in a paper read by Dr. Armand Gautier to the Sorbonne on a reconsideration of some recent prejudices regarding nourishment.

Observing that that ideas of the proper amount of nutriment differed widely among different peoples and at different epochs—from the eight centuries and twenty-five plates of Louis XIV to the frugal dejeuner of the Parisian ouvriers, Dr. Gautier announced a new way he had hit on for arriving at the supply of food necessary for life and work. Let us not take, says he, selected individuals or classes of individuals, but a very large number of them and find what they have eaten, not for a few weeks or months, but over a term of years. Paris and the Parisians will furnish us with the right kind of evidence, for the majority of its population consists of working class and middle-class people, who, taken altogether, may be supposed to eat no more than is necessary to keep them going in their walks of life. Individual eccentricities will disappear amid so great a number of individuals. So, Dr. Gautier, by examining the retail registers of food coming into Paris for ten years to support a population of between two and three millions of people, really arrives at the average ration for one person over ten thousand million days. He finds, for example, that this ideal average Parisian eats daily 425 grammes of bread, 250 grammes of vegetables, and another 500 grammes of dried vegetables, 100 grammes of potato or rice, 40 grammes of sugar, 70 grammes of fresh fruit. So much for vegetable diet. Of animal food he eats 20 grammes of meat, 24 grammes of eggs, 8 grammes of cheese, 24 grammes of butter, fats or oils. He drinks 520 cubic centimetres of wine, beer, or cider, 210 c. c. of water, and 210 of milk. Gas-ther now compares this with the scientific methods of arriving at what is termed people eat when subjected to scientific examination. The results are rather surprising. The average Parisian appears to eat less albuminoids and less fats but more carbohydrates than the person subjected to scientific tests; and on the whole he gets along with a ration producing theoretically less energy or heat units than the scientific diets. The general conclusion would seem to be that, taking masses of population, people do not eat more than they should, and since the approximation to the scientific standard is rather close, that their choice of food is empirically sound.—London Morning Post.

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RUMFORD.

L. W. Blanchard broke a tendon in his foot while playing tennis at the Rumford Tennis Court Association, Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. C. P. Bryant arrived home from Berlin, Saturday, after spending several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. C. B. Barton.

A new machine company has been organized which is to be known as the French, Latham & Harris Machine Company, and will have its office in the Gates Block, directly over Dr. Trask's office.

A delegation of Masons at the funeral of Dr. W. Z. Twitcheil, of Andover, Monday. Dr. Twitcheil suffered a shock a few weeks ago, from which he never recovered.

Archer Griffin left Monday afternoon for the "Little Blue School" at Farmington, where he is a student. Miss Margaret McKenzie entertained the members of the Y. P. C. E. at her home on Knox street, Friday evening. A short business meeting was held first, in which the topics were assigned to the various leaders the evening year.

Charles Brown, of Washington street, was critically ill on Friday evening with an attack of acute indigestion and asthma, but is improved at this writing.

Mrs. E. O. Ames, Mrs. Rebecca Jackson, Miss Bertha Jackson and Miss Ethel Decker left Friday morning for Chattanooga, Tenn., to attend the National Convention of the W. R. C. and G. A. R.

The State Convention of the W. R. C. is being held in Rumford, this week. Dinners and suppers are furnished by the ladies of the Methodist, Universalist and Congregational churches. Many of the best known speakers of the state are present and the convention bids fair to be one of the most interesting ones ever held.

O. J. Gonyea was called to Portland, Monday, on business.

Miss Anna Jones of New York City left Tuesday morning for her home after several days' visit with Miss Mary Farrell.

The annual installation of the officers of Strathglass Commandery was held last week, Friday. The following officers were installed: Eminent Commander, Fred E. Goding; Generalissimo, Cleon S. Osgood; Captain General, Sullivan E. Andrews; Senior Warden, Elliott W. Howe; Junior Warden, A. L. Stanwood; Secretary, Frank R. Reed; Treasurer, J. B. Morse; Standard Bearer, L. M. Small; Sword Bearer, Charles Neff; Warder, J. A. Greene; Sentinel, Fred A. Dunham. A banquet was held after the installation.

Robert Clinch and his son, George Clinch, have purchased a lot on Penobscot street, near the residence of A. E. Stearns and are preparing to build a residence.

George Elias is in New York, this week, on business.

Mrs. E. S. Kennard is spending a few days in Portland this week.

Miss Lily Hillman returned the first of the week from a short vacation spent with relatives in Portland, and has resumed her duties with the Rumford Lumber Company.

Mrs. George St. Pierre is visiting friends in Montreal.

This coming week the fair at Canby will be going on and it is expected that this fair is to be one of the best of the season.

Twenty-two members were enrolled under the order of Antons Rumford, a Patriarch Militant of Old Fellows.

A banquet was tendered the Oxford Athletic Association on Saturday evening at Hotel Rumford. A most enjoyable time was enjoyed by all those present.

Pat Bourassa, a Waldo street barber, started out last Tuesday night to take a hunting trip in the woods in what is known as the Back Kingdom district of Mexico, and while there lost his way and was compelled to return.

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Phosphate rock, which is the principal source of one of the three fertilizing elements necessary for plant growth, was marketed in the United States last year to the extent of 2,973,332 long tons, valued at \$11,675,774. This was a slight decrease in both quantity and value compared with the figures for the preceding year, but the amount of phosphate rock mined was greater than in 1911, excepting in South Carolina. In Florida the increase was 3 per cent, in Tennessee it was over 12 per cent, and in the western phosphate field it was over 10 per cent.

Stocks of phosphate rock on hand also increased in the two main producing Southern States, Florida, and Tennessee. On the whole the industry in the main southern phosphate field was active.

The production of phosphate rock in Florida was 81 per cent of the entire output of the United States. The output of this State, which at the present time leads in the phosphate industry, was with one exception, that of 1911, the greatest in the history of the State. The quantity marketed for the year was 2,466,590 long tons, valued at \$9,461,297—a slight decline both in tonnage and value compared with 1911. Tennessee furnished 14.2 per cent of the phosphate marketed in the United States in 1912, the total production of the State being 423,331 long tons, valued at \$1,640,476. In South Carolina 131,490 long tons was marketed, valued at \$234,769—a considerable decline compared with 1911.

In the Western States the production of phosphate came from Idaho, Utah, and Wyoming and amounted to 11,012 long tons, a gain of 10.3 per cent compared with 1911. The value of the product increased considerably, the average price per ton being greater in 1912 than in 1911.

The United States Geological Survey has just published an advance chapter of "Mineral Resources 1912," by W. C. Phalen, giving, besides statistics of production of phosphate rock for the whole country, figures showing the production of the individual states for the last five years. Tables showing imports and exports of fertilizer materials are also given, as well as the production of phosphate rock in the principal countries of the world. The phosphate industry in the different states is briefly discussed, and the author gives general information of interest to those engaged in the phosphate trade.

The report may be procured with cost by addressing the Director, U. S. Geological Survey, Washington, D. C.

The Renewal of Strife.

Verdun is over. Again the school bells ring at morning and at noon, again with tens of thousands the hand of a great work has begun, the renewal of which is a mental and physical strain to all except the most rugged.

The little girl that a few days ago had a cold, and the little boy whose legs were then so red you would have thought that they had been "kissed by strawberries," have already lost something of the appearance of health. Now is a time when many children should be given a tonic, which may avert much serious trouble, and we know of no other so likely to be recommended as Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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ANDOVER.

The schools in town began Monday with the following teachers:

High School—Principal, Lyano H. Durrell of Kingfield; Assistant, Mrs. Maggie Stuart; Grammar, Harrison Ambler; Primary, Annie Akers; East Andover, Henry Howard; South Andover, Geneva Burgess; No. 4, Elizabeth Cushman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Dunn are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, September 14.

Mrs. Charles Ripley and daughter, Doris, who have spent the summer in their cottage here, returned to their home in Mexico, Saturday.

Miss Barbara Cushman, of Philadelphia, is spending her vacation with her parents, Charles Cushman and wife, at South Andover.

Mrs. Fannie Dresser was the guest of Mrs. Y. A. Thurston, Tuesday. Samuel Poor and family are spending a few weeks in town.

Mrs. Owen Smith, of Mexico, was in town the first of the week.

Charles Howe was in town with his moving pictures, Saturday night.

Ellery Merrill, who has been in Canada working for R. P. Thomas, was at Lucien Akers', the first of the week.

Young Emerson is in Bangor and Augusta, this week.

Charles Newton is cutting corn for the farmers.

Mrs. George Learned is caring for Mrs. Bert Dunn.

Elmer Glover, a fireman on one of the ships at the U. S. Navy yard, Portsmouth, N. H., is visiting friends in town this week.

Miss Mildred Palusha, a trained nurse, who attended Dr. Twitcheil, returned to her home in Portland, Sunday.

Edward Abbott, of Bangor, is spending a few days in town.

Dr. W. Z. Twitcheil passed away Saturday noon after a short illness. He was nearly 55 years of age and had practiced medicine for 25 years in town. He leaves a wife and one daughter, Ramona, who have the sympathy of the community. Also a sister, Mrs. Grace Robinson, of New Hampshire. His early life was spent in New Hampshire.

The funeral was held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock from his home on Main street. Many of the townspeople attended the services. A number of fraternal organizations were also represented, including members of Cabot Lodge, K. of P., Blazing Star Lodge of Masons who conducted their services at the casket and members from L. O. O. F. Lodge at Bangor, of which he was a member. Rev. J. H. Little of the First Universalist Church of Bethel officiated. During the services the hymns, Lead Kindly Light, and Abide With Me were sung by the Ladies' Quartette. There were many beautiful floral gifts from friends and the various orders. The pall bearers were B. L. Melcher of Bangor, C. B. Newton, Charles T. Poor, and Lewis Akers. Burial was in the family lot in Woodlawn cemetery.

Mrs. Emma Hoyt widow of the late Philip Hoyt, died very suddenly Saturday forenoon at her home, South Andover. She had been very poorly all summer but was about the house when the end came. She leaves two sons, Arthur Stevens, and Edwin Hoyt, who live at the home farm. Mrs. Hoyt was a member of Lane Mt. Grange also a member of the Universalist Church of Andover. She was a kind neighbor and will be greatly missed among a large circle of friends. The funeral was held Monday at 2 o'clock from her home.

MORGAN'S FAMILY.

The "richest man in America" had for his wife a woman so quiet, so unobtrusive, that most people had come to think, indeed, that J. Pierpont Morgan was a widower of years and years' standing.

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Her greatest delight, instead, is to be important, past all intrusion, in the privacy of her home, and there to be surrounded by her children and her grandchildren. Then she is that she is.

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ask she has never before run—the awful risk of being "snaphotted" and interviewed.

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Indeed, Mrs. Morgan is of so nervous a temperament that she could not endure an active social life, were she so inclined. She is never robustly well, even when she remains in the deepest seclusion.

Before her marriage to Pierpont Morgan, Mrs. Morgan was Miss Frances Louise Tracy of New York. The marriage took place in 1865, three years after the death of Morgan's first wife.

Four children resulted from the union. The eldest, Louise, married Herbert L. Satterlee in 1900, and they have two babies, Mabel and Eleanor. The second child is J. P. Morgan, who was born in 1867. He married Jane Norton Grow in 1890 and has four children—Junius, Jane, Frances and Henry.

Juliet Morgan was the third child of the older Morgans, and was born in 1870. She is the wife of William Pierpont Hamilton and has five children, Helen, Pierpont, Laurens, Alexander and Elizabeth.

Anne Morgan, the famous spinster daughter of the Morgans, was the last child. She was born in 1875, and inherits more of her father's characteristics than the others. She is fearless, independent, and loves to be always in the press of things.

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West Bethel, arrive	4:07	8:29	2:39
BETHEL, leave	4:17	8:39	2:49
Lebanon, arrive	4:35	8:57	3:07
South Paris, arrive	4:55	9:17	3:27
Lebanon, arrive	5:15	9:37	3:47
Portland, arrive	5:35	9:57	4:07
Portland, leave	5:55	10:17	4:27

WEST BOUND.

Station	No. 5	No. 7	No. 9
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Portland, leave	8:00	1:30	8:00
Lebanon, leave	8:20	1:50	8:20
South Paris, leave	8:40	2:10	8:40
Lebanon, arrive	10:10	4:40	10:10
BETHEL, arrive	10:25	4:55	10:25
West Bethel, arrive	10:45	5:15	10:45
Gorham, arrive	11:05	5:35	11:05
Bethel, arrive	11:25	5:55	11:25

Through Chair Car between Bethel and Remford on No. 6 and No. 8.

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In effect June 22, 1913.

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8:00 a. m. 8:15 p. m. and on Sun-
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POEMS WORTH READING

WORK.

If you have a grief that you would for-
get,
You must work, and work, and work.
And if you are prey to a keen regret,
And the stars of your hopes are set,
Are set,
And the darkness covers you like a
pall,
If you'd learn to live in this world at
all,
You must work, and work, and work.

If you have some tears that you fold
would hide,
You must work, and work, and work.
It is the one that you loved the dearest
died,
And the dreams that you dreamed are
all dead,
And your footsteps falter and feel un-
sure,
If you'd teach your heart to endure,
endure,
You must work, and work, and work.
It will never do to sit and think,
You must work, and work, and work.

Moping and madness have one strong
link,
And the soul that surrenders to them
will sink;
I have learned (and many with me
have known)
There is one salvation, and one alone—
You must work, and work, and work,
on on on.

"FORGIVE AND FORGET."
O, forgive and forget, for this life is
too fleeting
To waste it in brooding o'er wrongs
we have met;
It is better, far better, to smother our
anger,
To teach the proud heart to forgive
and forget.
O forgive and forget, O forgive and
forget;
O teach your proud heart to forgive
and forget.

In the path we must tread, leading
down to the valley,
Are crosses and trials to lift and to
bear;
And the thalire of life, from which we
are now drinking,
Of tears to our lips drops of sorrow
and care.
O forgive and forget, O forgive and
forget;
O teach your proud heart to forgive
and forget.

Not this life is so short, be it sunshine
or shadow,
That we cannot afford to brood o'er
a wrong;
Let us lift up our burdens and bear
them on bravely;
We'll lay them down shortly, it can-
not be long.
O forgive and forget, O forgive and
forget;
O teach your proud heart to forgive
and forget.

Then forgive and forget, if the friends
we loved fondly
Have themselves to be false and
unworthy of trust;
Or deal with them kindly, for they
are but mortals,
And crying like us, for we, too, are
but dust.
O forgive and forget, O forgive and
forget;
O teach your proud heart to forgive
and forget.

"NO PLACE FOR NOYS"
What can a boy do, and where can a
boy stay?
If he is always told to go out of the
way?
He cannot sit here, and he must not
stand there.
The children that cover that fine rock
legible
Have got there, of course, to be seen
and admired;
And a boy has no business to ever be
there.
The smallest corner and corner that
adorns
On the floor of the garden and deli-
cate room,
You not made to walk on, at least not
for boys.
The house is no place, anyway, for
their noise.
Yet here must walk somewhere, and
what is their feet?
Scat out of our house, scat into the
street.
Should step toward the corner and
corner at the door
Where other boys' feet have passed of
before.
Should pass through the gateway of
glittering light,
Where girls that are merry, and girls
that are bright,
Ring out a merry welcome with sister
and brother,
And laughing say, "Here's a place
for the boys!"

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A good supply of real old-fashioned home-baked bread
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Use William Tell Flour and make home bak-
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Goes farthest, too, more leaves to the
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What if they should? What if
your boy or niece
Should cross the threshold that
marks the door?
Twist your face and view, twist your
neck and sin.
And leave all his indecent boyhood
behind.
O, what if they should, or even sin
sin?
While the days and the months and
the years hurry by,
Are too busy with care and with life's
dusting job,
To make room for heartache and a
place for the boy?

There's a place for the boys. They
will find it somewhere.
And if our homes are too faintly fair
For the touch of their fingers, the
tend of their feet,
They'll find it, and find it, also, in the
street.

And the glittings of sin and the glitter
of vice,
And such heartaches and longings we
pay a dear price
For the getting of gain that our life-
time employs,
If we fail in providing a place for the
boys.

A place for the boys—dear mothers, I
pray.
As cases settle down 'round our short
cubby way,
Don't let us forget by our kind, loving
deeds,
To show we remember their pleasure
and needs.

Though our souls may be vexed with
the problems of life,
And worn with heartache and longing
and strife,
Our hearts will keep going—your
kind heart and mine—
If we give them a place in their in-
creased shrine.

And to life's great love 'tend be one
of our joys.
That we keep a small corner, a place
for the boys.

MASON.
A gambler from this place attended
the County Fair at Norway, last week.
A heavy freeze Wednesday night of
last week damaged the corn crops to-
wards.

Ex-graves is on the sick list at the
present writing.
Mrs. Archie Hutchinson called on her
sister, Mrs. S. O. Brown, one day re-
cently.

The Blanchards are doing consider-
able repairing on their summer camp
at the foot of Taconic Mountain.
Archie Hutchinson is putting in an
excellent garden so that he can have
the fruit and vegetables directly into
the home cellar with a team.

A. B. Sawyer and L. McAllister of
Gorham Hill, are cutting corn for E.
A. Sawyer.

J. A. McKeen is still at work as
Remford with his team, where he has
a good job.

E. H. Merrill and John Westinghouse
are putting an extension on their camp
at Miles North.

P. H. Griffin, of Gorham, was in town
looking after fall apples, which seem
to be very scarce.

Mrs. Robert Cushing returned home
last Thursday from work in Norway.
She expects to return soon.

Mrs. J. P. Vinton worked for Mrs.
E. A. Sawyer, recently.

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SOUTH PARIS.

Walter L. Gray, Fred N. Wright,
Herbert Fletcher and Pearl Ripley
went by auto to Lewiston and from
there by train to Waterville, Friday,
to attend the Waterville fair.

Miss Eleanor Atchison and daughter,
Mabel, are visiting Mr. and Mrs.
Charles Rawson.

Charles Andrews recently received a
visit from his brother, Sumner An-
drews, of Lawrence, Mass.

Mrs. Mary Hall, who has been with
Mrs. Justina Hall and daughters, the
Misses Carrie and Gertrude Hall, the
past 12 weeks, left town Friday for
New York, to meet her son, Herbert
Hall, and wife. With them she will
return to their home at Kansas City.

Schools began September 15th.
Mr. and Mrs. George Eastman have
been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Osgood
Saunders, of Sweden.

Dr. P. Wendell Rounds left town,
Friday, for Malton, Mass., where
Mrs. Rounds had preceded him a few
days. After a short visit with Mrs.
Rounds' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles
Elder, they will depart for Louisville,
Ky., where Dr. Rounds will teach den-
tistry in the college from which he
graduated.

Word has been received of the birth
of a nice pound son, George Morton
Fish, to Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Fish,
of Santa Barbara Calif. Mrs. Fish was
formerly Miss Isabelle G. Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Emerson have
been entertaining their son and wife,
Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Emerson, of
Lynn, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Ann Ellingwood have
moved to Lebanon.

Philip Hennesy, who was operated
upon at the C. M. G. Hospital at Lew-
iston, is getting along nicely.

Miss Margie Jordan has been en-
gaged to teach the Bryant's Pond
school.

Estelle Gules is at her home from
Portland.

Mrs. Vera Howe has been visiting
Mrs. John Tilton.

Miss Vera Deane spent last week in
Boston.

Miss Vera Gowell of Lisbon is in
town for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moulton re-
cently entertained Miss Carrie Graw
of Auburn.

Mrs. Della Rank of South Portland
has visited Mrs. C. E. McArthur.

Miss Nancy Stearns is a guest at
Mr. and Mrs. R. Porter Stearns.

Mrs. Walter Annis recently en-
tertained her sister, Mrs. F. N. Carr, and
son, Fred, of Springfield Mass.

Professor William Andrews, prin-
cipal of the Butler School of Portland,
was a recent guest of his sister, Mrs.
Esther Edwards.

Word has been received of the death
of Leona Foster, at his home on the
shore of Hall's Pond, Monday.
William A. Blake continues serious-
ly ill at the home of his parents, Mr.
and Mrs. William H. Blake.

The marriage of the late George Em-
erson and wife, will be held Tuesday after-
noon at 2 o'clock at the home of the
deceased.

Miss Mary Chase, of Minneapolis, is
employed at Norway.
Mrs. Emily Cook is ill at her home
on Western Avenue.
Mr. and Mrs. George Stott were re-
cent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas
Powers.

SUNDAY RIVER.
Mr. Stikins and Angustus Littlehale
were in this place, Monday, with their
new fire car.
Office and Edwin Trask, of Paris,
visited their sister, P. C. Parker, re-
cently.
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Porter, who
have been spending the summer months
in this place, returned to their home in
Norfolk, Mass., Friday.

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On the sleeves of our KIRSCHBAUM Clothes at \$15, \$18, \$20 and
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It guarantees these things:

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BETHEL, MAINE

J. L. Spencey was in this place on
business, Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Powers is visiting his
mother, Mrs. Wilson, of Wilton's
Mill.

Quite a number attended the County
Fair.

Mr. Perry Schofield, of Arsenal
Mill, R. I., who has been visiting at
H. M. Kendall's, returned home the
day of the week.

Lawson Atwell was in Bethel, Sat-
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Ruth Kendall is greatly improved at
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Women Avoid Operations

When a woman suffering from some form of feminine disorder is told that an operation is necessary, it of course frightens her.

The very thought of the hospital operating table and the surgeon's knife strikes terror to her heart, and no wonder. It is quite true that some of these troubles may reach a stage where an operation is the only resource, but thousands of women have avoided the necessity of an operation by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. This fact is attested by the grateful letters they write to us after their health has been restored.

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Charlotte, N. C.—"I was in bad health for two years, with pains in both sides and was very nervous. I even lifted a chair it would cause a hemorrhage. I had a growth which the doctor said was a tumor and I never would get well unless I had an operation. A friend advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I gladly say that I am now enjoying fine health and am the mother of a nice baby girl. You can use this letter to help other suffering women."—Mrs. ROSA SIMS, 16 WYOMA ST., Charlotte, N. C.

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CANE FRUITS AND THEIR MANAGEMENT.

LECTURE BY MR. W. H. DARROW, FARMERS' WEEK COURSE.

The main thought running through Mr. Darrow's address was "How to make money from Raspberries and Blackberries." Emphasis was laid on cultivation and subsequent care as the chief factors in the profitable production of these crops. His lecture took up in detail just how this can be done with the least possible expenditure of time and money. In substance, he said:

Raspberries are of two types, known generally as red raspberries and black raspberries, or "blackcap."

Red Raspberry.

The red raspberry can be made to succeed on any soil which is well drained and not too dry. They have been found to thrive best on an upland sandy or clay loam. It should be moderately fertile, so as to produce abundant crops of fruit without an overgrowth of the canes. As a rule, the cooler the location of the patch the larger and finer the berries will be. Hence a northern exposure should generally be selected. If the land is fertile enough to produce a good crop of corn or potatoes, it is fertile enough for raspberries. If the land is not very fertile, limited amounts of stable manure can be added for nitrogen, and a commercial fertilizer can be used to supply the potash and phosphoric acid. A complete fertilizer containing nitrogen 4.5 per cent, phosphoric acid 7.7 per cent, and potash 13.3 per cent, could be used at the rate of 500 pounds per acre with profit on some soils. The raspberry grows from the same root year after year, although on different canes. The canes which grow one year bear fruit the next year, and then die, and new ones take their place. To start a plantation, buy the plants from some reliable nurseryman. These will cost from \$10 to \$25 per 1,000, depending much upon the firm bought of, and the quality bought. For a new plantation the suckers which spring up around or near the old plants can be used. These should be dug up and planted out late in the fall or early in the spring. The plants should be cut back to within six or eight inches of the ground at the time of transplanting.

New plants may also be obtained by cuttings. The roots are dug in the fall, cut into pieces two or three inches long, and stored in slightly moist sand in a cool place until spring. The two blackcaps do not make suckers as the reds do, but they multiply by tip layering. In tip layering the tip of a cane is bent down to the ground, and covered with soil, when it will throw out roots and develop a new plant. The new canes are bent over in late summer, and the young plants are severed from the parent in late fall or early spring, and transplanted. Blackcaps may also be propagated by root cuttings, the same as the red raspberries.

The canes of the black raspberries should be cut back each season, when they have reached a height of two or two and one-half feet. This causes the plant to become more stocky, and to throw out laterals. The lateral branches should also be headed in, when twelve or eighteen inches long. Blackcaps, as a rule, yield more quarts per acre than the red raspberries, but they also sell for somewhat less. The Gregg is perhaps the best all-around variety. The Ohio is one of the best for evaporating purposes as it yields more pounds of dried fruit per bush than other varieties. The Kansas and Palmer are among the best of the earlier varieties. The Milbourn, Older, and Cumberland are hardy varieties. Most of the purple-cane varieties should be cared for in the same manner as the blackcaps. The Shaffer and the Columbian are the most popular varieties.

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Blackberry. One of the best soils for the blackberry is an upland clay loam. The soil must be retentive of moisture, as the blackberry ripens in late July and August, when it is often hot and dry, and if there is not a good supply of moisture in the soil, the fruit will dry up. Thorough cultivation is the best way to conserve moisture.

The blackberry is propagated in the same manner as the red raspberry, by transplanting the suckers, which are produced in great numbers, or by root cuttings. Spring planting is preferable. The runs should be eight or nine feet apart, and the plants three or four feet apart in the row. When the canes are 15 inches or two feet in height, the tops should be pinched off to make them throw outside shoots. The old canes should be cut out immediately after bearing, and the new canes thinned out. Each spring the laterals should be headed back to 13 or 24 inches in length.

The blackberry should not be picked until ripe. Some varieties have the habit of turning black before they are really ripe. The consumer will kick because the berries are sour, or bitter, if they are picked too soon. Another point is, never to leave the berries in the sun after being picked, because they will turn red and more or less bitter. Blackberries are the best yielders of the cane fruits, and respond promptly and generously to care and attention. An average yield is three or four thousand quarts to the acre.

The best varieties are the Snyder, Agawan and Eldorado. The Kittatinny will probably do well in southern portions of the state.

All of the cane fruit plantations should be renewed every ten or twelve years. In many cases it is more profitable to renew them every five or six years, especially in the case of the blackcaps.

READ A HALF HOUR A DAY.

How a Housewife With Intelligence Kept Herself From Drifting Into a Dull, Old Woman.

A woman who has brought up a big family on a small income, yet has managed to keep mentally alert, says it is due to a Half Hour Club.

This club has as its fixed rule that half an hour each day must be spent in solid reading. There was a legacy of 24 hours, after that there was a fine of five cents each day for failure to get through the prescribed reading. Twice a month the club meets for discussion of the reading done and to collect fines of delinquents and spend them on a fresh effort.

The woman who told of this club says: "No one knows what it has meant to me. When you are the one woman in a family of boys, have a basket basket of stockings to darn weekly, six children to sew for, less than a hundred dollars a year, and a fine of five cents each day for failure to get through the prescribed reading. Twice a month the club meets for discussion of the reading done and to collect fines of delinquents and spend them on a fresh effort.

Especially if you live in a small town is such a club of importance. It is easy to stagnate, unless a conscious effort is made. The winter season is the time to start such a club among your neighbors. Do not be content with reading a half-hour reading daily for yourself. You will never hold to it without the stimulus of companionship and the broadening interest of the fortnightly meetings.

"These ladies can become a habit, and it is wonderful how a good habit of this kind will help us over hard places."

DELIVERING HONEST EGGS TO MARKET.

(By M. K. Boyer.)

Naturally it would be considered a good business method to preserve the summer-laid eggs and sell them during the winter, when the prices are at the highest, and when the average hen on the farm is not doing much in the egg-laying line. That is, one would consider it a wise move providing those eggs would present a fresh appearance and a fresh flavor when taken out of the brine, or whatever method is employed.

But, on the other hand, they not only have a stale look, but in flavor are entirely unfit for food.

For years the writer has fought this practice of holding eggs, not only on account of their unfitness as food, but as to the unfairness in competition with the industrious winter-laying hen.

It would not border so strongly on dishonesty if those eggs were labeled and sold as preserved or held eggs, for the buyer would know exactly what he or she was getting. But the common practice is to sell them as winter-laid eggs. In some sections of the country, dealers are compelled to guarantee the age or condition, but this rule is not universal. Surely it is a matter that deserves the attention of the pure food commission.

All these advertised "secrets" are nothing less than bids for dishonest practices. The poor of the cities are generally the victims. The writer has repeatedly said, and repeats again, that one-half of the population residing in the cities do not know how a fresh egg tastes. The guaranteed strictly fresh article is so quickly captured by the well-to-do people that the market seems to be supplied with nothing but aged, stale, preserved, pickled or stored eggs.

The "Fresh Country Eggs" is a sign frequently noticed in store windows, and to the uninitiated this appeals very strongly. Ordinarily that would be a guarantee of freshness, but it is not always so. Not that the farmers are dishonest, nor that the dealers wish to play a trick upon the public, but the fact remains that in gathering the eggs, farmers are often careless. In the first place, the hens are allowed to free range, with manure piles to scratch over, and pools of stagnant water to drink from. Certainly such treatment will not give the eggs the fine flavor they naturally get when fed nothing but pure grains, pure meat scraps, and other articles of similar purity. The greatest trouble comes in gathering the eggs. Having free range, the hens make nests here and there, hidden from general view and in these nests are found quite a number of eggs. Whenever discovered, the entire lot is at once consigned to the market basket. If twelve eggs are found in such a nest, it is likely that one hen took twelve days or more, if she is one of the average kind. The result is that a number of bad eggs are sent in each shipment, to say nothing about the flavor of those that are other wise good. No wonder epicures are beginning to become shy of "Fresh Country Eggs."

The safest eggs to buy are those coming from the yards of a market poultryman. His fowls are kept in comfortable runs, his houses are comfortable and clean, and the stock is kept exercising to keep them in good health. The feed they get is the best and purest of grains, meat and greens, and the water is given them fresh daily. The eggs are gathered one or more times each day, according to severity of weather, and there is no chance for the hens to hide their nests. The market poultryer rarely ever holds his eggs longer than three days, while the farmer keeps saving up his crop until there are enough to make it worth while "to take them to town."

There is no reason why farmers cannot keep their flocks under more improved methods, and thus not only secure a good reputation for their goods, but get the advantage of better markets. An egg should never be sent to market unless its condition can be guaranteed. It is a good plan to date them each day as gathered. If a hidden nest is found, such eggs should be marked "B," meaning that their age is unknown and their condition is in doubt; then take such to the kitchen to be opened and used if found all right. It is certain that careful methods will be the most profitable.

EASIEST LAXATIVE FOR WOMEN.

Nearly every woman needs a good laxative. Dr. King's New Life Pills are good because they are prompt, safe, and do not cause pain. Mrs. M. C. Bishop of Lehigh, Tenn., says: "Dr. King's New Life Pills helped me trouble greatly." Get a box to-day. Price, 25c. Recommended by H. S. Packard of Boston, Chas. F. Smith, Nathan Reynolds of Canton; H. Reynolds of Newburyport; Dr. J. Gardner of Dixfield.

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WHITE MOUNTAIN RESERVE.

Outline of the Policy That Will Be Followed in Administration.

Some one hundred thousand acres of forest land have been approved and purchased under the Weeks' law for the White Mountain national forest. By the beginning of the fiscal year 1914 title to some five hundred thousand acres of land in the Appalachian and White Mountains will probably have passed to the government, and this area will be put under administration.

These forests are located in a region of large population and their use should be intensive from the first, more so than the gigantic national forests area in the West. Experiment stations will be established, as funds become available, to handle problems in connection with the management of eastern forests.

Intensive reconnaissance is being carried on in the White Mountains which shall give a very exact account of the quantity and quality of timber and will furnish a more exact basis for efficient management when timber sales are open to the public.

Already a large number of applications have been received from lumbermen by the forestry headquarters here who want to buy timber from the reserve. But the areas upon which sales are pending cannot be opened for use until the forest experts have had time to prepare forest working plans, the object of which is to control and systematize the White Mountain area on a definite basis. Furthermore, it is necessary that more areas be finished in estimates of standing timber and studies of logging conditions before sales can be made.

Uncle Sam is maintaining the general administration policy in the management of these eastern forests as in the West, and their resources will be open for use and development in minerals, water-power and timber.

Great progress has been made in fire protection by co-operation with the state forestry department of New Hampshire, the railroads traversing the forests, and the Timberland Owners' Association. This co-operation has added materially to the fire protective force. Lookout stations have been established and equipped with high-power prism binoculars, telephones, and wooden or steel towers. Trails have been built for the use of patrolmen. Fire-tool stations have been located at strategic points and arrangements have been made to facilitate the rapid purchase and transportation of food supplies and fire fighters to the firing line. Thus, with all of these agencies in the White Mountains and other parts of the state working to a common end, the destructive forest fires that have swept through in the past must, of necessity, grow less.

Throughout the White Mountain forest, vigorous effort will be made to protect game and birds from slaughter and molestation and naturally this forest will become a game refuge and preserve. Forest officers administering this area will hold commissions as deputy state game wardens to enforce the game laws.

The water power found within the White Mountain area will sometime be of great value to New England. It is found that many thousand feet of horsepower can be developed from natural stream flow which can be greatly increased by stream regulation and storage at the numerous reservoir sites later on.

The construction of new trails and roads will stimulate the growth of recreation more and more and the demand for sites on which summer camps, hotels and cottages may be located will be rapid on account of the population which now visits the forest in large numbers annually for recreation purposes.

It has been found unnecessary to acquire all of the land within the designated forest area as many valleys of fertile agricultural soil are included which it would not be wise to include. However, at least 600,000 acres of lands will be acquired in the White Mountains and there is every reason to believe that this amount will be all that it is necessary to acquire.

In acquiring titles to land it is first necessary to ascertain that at least 15,000 acres in a body and of the right character in land can be bought. Next in importance comes the location of such land with respect to economy of administration, the relative value for timber growth, its freedom from defective titles and a reasonable price.

The educational value of this forest will, it is believed, set up a sharp contrast between the forests outside and those within of the systematically cared-for, utilized and developed condition of a government forest and the careless treatment of neglected, over-cut and burned forests of private owners.

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WEST BETHEL.

J. P. Sweet and family, of Dixfield, are spending a week in town.

Mrs. F. W. Sadler, of Revelstoke, B. C., is on a visit to her father, Wallace Goodridge.

About seventy tickets were sold at this station for the fair at South Paris, last Wednesday.

Mrs. Carrie Metcalfe, of Ramford, is stopping with Mrs. Pike.

Mrs. Annie McLain has just returned from a week's visit to her sister, Mrs. James Curtis, in Berlin.

Mr. O'Reilly still remains very poorly.

A party spent Sunday at Camp Caribou, September 14. The party consisted of F. L. Ordway and wife, Doris, Mrs. Stella Goodridge, Libbie Lynne, Clarence Barker and Paul Head. Although the weather was a little cold, they enjoyed the trip very much.

George McLain is on a visit to his uncle, Sandy McLain.

Carrie Dwinells has returned home from Bryant's Pond, where she has been the past summer.

Mrs. F. H. Rolfe and three children are in Appleton, Maine, to visit her father and mother.

An auto party from Freeport came Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Dennison, over Sunday, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Morton, Mrs. A. Cushing, Mrs. Julia Kendall, Miss Maria Irish, went back with them Monday.

Miss L. M. Stearns is showing a fine display of fall millinery which is sure to please all tastes.

The village school began September 8 with Miss Emily Burke as teacher. There were thirty-four scholars, the first week, a number of new beginners.

Mrs. J. E. Pike has a lady from Ramford to assist her with the housework.

Miss Ethel Allen has returned to her work in Boston.

Mr. I. Knowlton has returned from Auburn and is now at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Goodnow.

Mr. F. C. Bennet returned to his home in Wakefield, Mass., Wednesday. Mrs. Mahorn Ordway has been quite ill but is somewhat better.

Mrs. Addie Connor is working for Mrs. G. W. Hardin.

Mr. T. W. Vashaw and family, have gone into the woods in Grafton. Mr. Alton Brooks and family are caring for the house and boarding Frank, so he can attend school.

GROVER HILL.

"Put on your beautiful garments, O tilling earth, and rest! The goal is won and the toil is done, And you may don your best— Your robe of purple and scarlet, Your tassels and plumes of gold, The misty sheen of your veil of green And your mantle's crimson fold."

Mrs. Alice Little and son, Emerson, from Portland, who were guests of N. A. Stearns, and family, last week, returned home Sunday.

Alton Hutchinson has a nice new bicycle.

Mrs. Merile Wheeler, "Cobblestone," has returned from a pleasant visit with relatives and friends at Norway.

Mr. Freeland Bennett attended the County Fair and visited his daughter, Mrs. M. A. Jordan, and family, at Mechanic Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Channing Grover and family, called at the home of Mr. Channing's mother, Mrs. Anna Grover, Sunday.

M. P. Tyler has been hauling his sweet corn to the factory.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Blake and young son, from Milan, N. H., were guests of relatives in the place a few days last week.

Streams are unusually low and rain is anxiously awaited.

Mr. P. E. Wheeler attended the fair and accompanied his wife and son to Bethel, last week.

DON'T LET BABY SUFFER WITH ECZEMA AND SKIN ERUPTIONS

Babies need a perfect skin covering. Skin eruptions cause them not only intense suffering, but hinder their growth. DR. HOBSON'S ECZEMA OINTMENT can be relied on for relief and permanent cure of suffering babies whose skin eruptions have made their life miserable. "Our baby was afflicted with breaking out of the skin all over the face and scalp. Doctors and skin specialists failed to help. We tried Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment and were overjoyed to see baby completely cured before one box was used," writes Mrs. Strahler, Dubuque, Iowa. All druggists, or by mail, Geo. Guaranteed by

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